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**THE MISSION OF THE BIRDS.** By Clarence Moores Weed. Nature Study Leaflet No. 2, New Hampshire College Agricultural Experiment Station. April, 1902.

This 12-page illustrated leaflet is pretty clearly intended for the teacher of children, and is therefore full of directions for the instruction of the children in nature study, but particularly the study of birds. This text is largely explanatory of a diagram on the second page which sets forth graphically, on a plan of grouping, the insects which molest all sorts of vegetation under all sorts of conditions, and the birds which feed upon the insects. This chart is well conceived and clearly done, and, with the accompanying text and illustrations, makes a distinct contribution to the pedagogical side of Ornithology.—L. J.

List of Generic Terms Proposed for Birds During the Years 1890 to 1900, Inclusive, to which are Added Names Omitted by Waterhouse in his "Index Generum Avium." By Charles W. Richmond. From the Proceedings of the U. S. National Museum, Vol. XXIV., pages 663-729.

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#### ERRATA.

Some distressing errors crept into the last number after the last proof left the editor's hands. They are as follows:

Page 7, line 12, for "scaps" read "scraps."

Page 8, line 4 from bottom, for "snipe" read "snipes."

Page 18, line 7 from bottom, for "quaked" read "quanked."

Page 22, line 15 from bottom, for "1902" read "1922."

Page 25, line 3, omit the word "no."

Page 29, line 3 from bottom, for "Ober-" read "Oberholser."